





PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 2860.0771

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Yoshihiko Suda et al.) Group Art Unit: 2853
Serial No.: 10/774,476) Examiner: B. Shewareged
Filed: February 10, 2004))) Confirmation No.: 8904
For: INK-JET RECORDING SHEET AND PRODUCING METHOD OF THE SAME)
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	

Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In a restriction requirement dated December 29, 2005, the Examiner required restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121 between Group I, claims 1, 2, 5-7 and 11, drawn to ink jet recording sheet, and Group II, claims 3, 4, 8-10 and 12, drawn to method of making. Applicants elect to prosecute Group I, claims 1, 2, 5-7 and 11 drawn to ink jet recording sheet, without traverse.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: January 20, 2006

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